



## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

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HB3316

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#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

70 ILCS 920/5.3b new

Amends the Tuberculosis Sanitarium District Act. Provides that a tuberculosis sanitarium district entirely within a county with a population of less than 500,000 may dissolve by resolution of the county board. Further provides that in order to dissolve the district, there must be a county health department servicing the entire county which will assume responsibility for tuberculosis care; the board of directors of the tuberculosis sanitarium district must agree by resolution to be dissolved; and that the resolution of the county board must (1) allow an additional tax not to exceed 0.05% of the value as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue for the benefit of the board of health, (2) provide for the transfer of assets and liabilities of the district, (3) provide for the assumption of responsibility for patient care, and (4) provide for an increase in the members on the county board of health.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

HOUSING  
AFFORDABILITY  
IMPACT NOTE ACT  
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1 AN ACT concerning local government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Tuberculosis Sanitarium District Act is  
5 amended by adding Section 5.3b as follows:

6 (70 ILCS 920/5.3b new)

7 Sec. 5.3b. Dissolution of district in a county with a  
8 population of less than 500,000. In counties with a population  
9 of less than 500,000 in which a tuberculosis sanitarium  
10 district exists entirely within the county, a tuberculosis  
11 sanitarium district may be dissolved by resolution of the  
12 county board provided that:

13 (a) there exists a county or multiple-county health  
14 department serving the entire county and the board of  
15 health of that department has affirmed its willingness to  
16 assume responsibility for the tuberculosis care and  
17 treatment program as indicated by their adoption of a  
18 resolution by a majority vote and transmittal of a copy of  
19 that resolution to the county board and the tuberculosis  
20 district board of directors;

21 (b) the board of directors of the tuberculosis  
22 sanitarium district by a majority vote adopt a written  
23 resolution recommending to the county board that the

1 district be dissolved; and

2 (c) the resolution of the county board also provides:

3 (1) that an additional tax not to exceed 0.05% of  
4 the value as equalized or assessed by the Department of  
5 Revenue be made available to the board of health, in  
6 addition to that authorized in "An Act in relation to  
7 the establishment and maintenance of county and  
8 multiple-county public health departments", approved  
9 July 9, 1943, which tax shall be collected annually on  
10 all taxable property in the county in like manner with  
11 the general taxes of the county, and which shall be  
12 deposited in the County Health Fund along with other  
13 funds available to the board of health;

14 (2) that a portion of the additional tax authorized  
15 pursuant to paragraph (1) of this subsection (c), in  
16 the amount determined to be necessary and budgeted by  
17 the county board of health for the control of  
18 tuberculosis, shall be provided by the county board as  
19 a part of the county health department's budget;

20 (3) that all assets and liabilities of the  
21 tuberculosis sanitarium district be transferred to the  
22 board of health;

23 (4) that the board of health assume responsibility  
24 for the outpatient care and treatment of individuals  
25 diagnosed as having tuberculosis and for follow-up and  
26 prophylactic treatment of persons who have had contact

1           with a diagnosed case of tuberculosis consistent with  
2           the rules and regulations of the Illinois Department of  
3           Public Health, but not be responsible for inpatient  
4           treatment; and

5           (5) that the county board of health be increased  
6           from 8 members to 11 members, the additional 3 members  
7           to be appointed in the same manner as is provided in  
8           Section 13 of "An Act in relation to the establishment  
9           and maintenance of county and multiple-county public  
10           health departments", approved July 9, 1943. The  
11           initial 3 additional members appointed pursuant to  
12           this Section shall be chosen from among the members of  
13           the tuberculosis sanitarium district board dissolved  
14           pursuant to this Section.